



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 29.01.2018

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM

W.P(MD)No.1647 of 2018

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Light Houses Aqua Farm,
Represented by its Partner,
Karthikeyan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The District Collector,
Ramanathapuram District,
Ramanathapuram.

2.The Member Convener
cum Assistant Director (Fisheries),
The District Level Coastal Aqua Culture Authority,
Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the 2nd respondent to consider and pass order on the application for registration/license dated 25.10.2017 for establishing a Costal Aqua culture farm, at S.Nos.526 & 528/3A, Marakayarpattinam Village, Ramanathapuram District, within the time that may be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner	: Mr.M.Mahaboob Athiff
For Respondents	: Mrs.J.Padmavathy Devi, Special Government Pleader.

ORDER

The relief sought for in this writ petition is to direct the respondents to consider and pass orders on the application for registration/license dated 25.10.2017 for establishing a Costal Aqua culture farm, at S.Nos.526 & 528/3A, Marakayarpattinam Village, Ramanathapuram District.

2.The grievance of the petitioner is that he has proposed to develop a coastal aqua culture farm in a particular area. In this regard, an application was submitted in the proper format before the second respondent for grant of licence and the same is pending before the second respondent and no order has been passed.

3.Thus, without going into the merits of the matter, the second respondent is directed to consider the application submitted by the writ petitioner on 25.10.2017 and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of the twelve weeks from the date of the receipt of a copy of this order. The writ petitioner is



directed to submit a copy of application and relevant documents along with a copy of the order passed in this writ petition.

4. Accordingly, the writ petition stands disposed of. However, there shall be no order as to costs.

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Assistant Registrar(RTI)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

1.The District Collector,
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+One cc to The Special Government Pleader, SR.No.44796

+One cc to M/s.Ajmal Associates, Advocate, SR.No.44742

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